

## THIS WAY FOR LIVE SPORTING HAPPENINGS

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GUY MORTON  
SETS YANKEES  
HAVE ONE HIT

Cleveland, Aug. 25.—The Yankees are about as successful in their drive through the West as the Russians have been in keeping the Germans out of Poland. Everything the Yanks do goes wrong. Yesterday Guy Morton held the Gotham boys to one little hit. Guy blanked the Yankees by a score of 6 to 0.

During the last ten days the Yanks have been shut out of offense during the entire first four months of the season. Until Bressler blanked them with one hit on August 16 the Klitties had sustained but three shutouts. Since Bressler turned the trick it has been done by Jim Scott, Urban Faber and Guy Morton. In fact, four of the last seven games played by the Yanks have resulted in shutout defeats.

Slim Caldwell was the New York gunner, and the best thing the star of the Yank staff did was to deprive Morton of a no-hit game. Caldwell made the only hit off Morton. After Boone and Alexander struck out in the third Caldwell rapped a single to center, but was promptly left when Cook lined to Wamby. Only 29 men faced Morton. He did not give a base on balls.

YOUNGSTERS HAVE MADE  
PHILLIES AND PIRATES  
WINNERS THIS SEASON

Managers Fred Clarke of the Pirates and Pat Moran of the Phillies before this year's National League race opened declared that if they wanted to begin the running for the championship they would have to secure young material to supplant the veterans. The former's club made a miserable showing last season and the one before because it lacked the punch. Moran was with the Phillies and he realized that they would be unable to put up a strong team unless they had young men were secured. Like Clarke, he set out to revise the team and he did so, with the result that he has had his club on top for a long stretch.

Clarke was a bit slow in getting his club rounded into shape. He tried youngsters at the opening and gave them trials at different positions, but was unable to find satisfactory men. He stuck to his task, however, and finally located the players in the positions in which he thought they belonged. That he made the proper move is apparent from the article of ball the Pirates have been playing. They were close to the cellar at one time, but vim and determination have brought them into the first division.

Bill Hinchman, who is playing right field, is a star. But he still has enough good baseball left in him to hold his own. His best work is done at the plate. Third baseman Baird is the best looking youngster Clarke has because he is a brilliant fielder and has the earmarks of developing into a consistent hitter. He is a long hitter. Costello, who has been made the regular center fielder, is delivering in sterling fashion. They were close to the cellar at one time, but vim and determination have brought them into the first division.

The Pittsburgh commander thinks he will keep his team in the race, as he is getting steady work out of his pitching staff. Mamaux is the star, while Harmon, Adams and Cooper are effective performers.

Moran has kept the Phillies at the head of the procession as a result of the improvement he made in his infield. Bancroft is a star. Without him it is asserted, the Phillies would not be in the race, but Grover Alexander deserves a lot of credit for what the club has done. Moran also is deserving of praise for the way he has handled his men, and also for the successful alterations he made at second base and center field, with the acquisition of Nichols and Whiteside. These men were acquired on Moran's advice, and that he made no mistake is apparent from the Philadelphia team's standing in the race.

Other managers have striven to bolster their lineups with recruits, ambitious and aggressive, but they have not been as successful as Clarke and Moran. Brooklyn's team consists of a bunch of young players, but most of them are green. The team last season and the year before. They have been taught to mule and fight and that is why the club is in the first division. The clinch among baseball men is that if they continue the close of the fight will find the Dodgers on top, or mighty near it. Robinson's best improvements were in the pitching staff when he secured Dell Smith and Douglass.

Many municipal authorities in Przemysl and other Galician cities, who continued to fulfill their duties during the Russian occupation, were sentenced to die by the Austrians on charges of treason.

All communication between Austria and Switzerland was stopped by the Austrians.

Burglars entered the Plaza theatre at Springfield, Mass., opened the safe and escaped with \$160.

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TRIS SPEAKER IN FORM AGAIN;  
AMERICAN LEAGUE FANS REJOICE

Tris Speaker is back into form again and Boston Red Sox fans rejoice. This fine outfielder, one of the fastest if not the fastest in the American League, smothered everything that comes his way, runs like a streak on the bases and is also a good batsman. He gets the biggest salary in organized baseball, the figures being set at \$16,500 a year by those who know and surpassing the salaries received by Ty Cobb and other stars.

## Runs Made This Week, AMERICAN LEAGUE.

NATIONAL LEAGUE	YESTERDAY'S RESULTS	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	At Cleveland	21	0	1
Philadelphia	New York	17	0	1
Chicago	Cleveland	15	0	1
Boston	At Chicago	18	0	1
New York	Washington	8	512	5
Cincinnati	Chicago	8	10	5
Brooklyn	At Detroit	2	3	9
Pittsburgh	Boston	2	1	8

AMERICAN LEAGUE	STANDING OF THE CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
St. Louis	At St. Louis—1st Game	16	7	12
Boston	Philadelphia	10	10	11
Chicago	Second Game	10	2	3
Philadelphia	St. Louis	9	6	10
Cleveland	Washington	5	2	3
New York	New York	1	3	1
Detroit	Detroit	1	3	1

FEDERAL LEAGUE	STANDING OF THE CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Brooklyn	Boston	19	75	37
St. Louis	Detroit	14	74	41
Pittsburgh	Chicago	13	71	41
Chicago	Washington	12	57	55
Baltimore	New York	8	52	56
Kansas City	Cleveland	8	44	69
Newark	Baltimore	8	48	72
	Philadelphia	2	77	312

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE	GAMES TODAY.
Rochester	New York in Cleveland.
Richmond	Boston in Detroit.
Providence	St. Louis in St. Louis.
Buffalo	Washington in Chicago.
Montreal	
St. Louis	
Toronto	
Jersey City	

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.	R.	H.	E.
At New York	12	15	0
New York	1	5	7
At Brooklyn	5	11	0
Cincinnati	0	3	1
Brooklyn	0	3	1
Philadelphia	6	10	2
Chicago	1	7	1
At Boston	0	5	1
Pittsburgh	0	10	12
Boston	10	12	3

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	60	50	545
Brooklyn	61	54	530
Boston	58	54	518
Chicago	57	57	500
Pittsburgh	56	60	483
St. Louis	56	60	483
Cincinnati	54	60	468
New York	51	58	465

GAMES TODAY.
Pittsburgh in New York (2).
St. Louis in Brooklyn (2).
Chicago in Boston.
Cincinnati in Philadelphia (2).

## COLONIAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.	R.	H.	E.
At Springfield	0	2	2
New Bedford	3	10	1
Springfield	3	10	1
At New Haven	5	9	0
Hartford	1	6	1
New Haven	1	6	1
At Brooklyn	3	8	2
Pawtucket	3	8	2
Brookton	4	11	2
Second Game.	0	5	0
Pawtucket	0	5	0
Brookton	4	10	1
Seven innings by agreement.			

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Hartford	47	58	556
Brookton	49	38	563
New Bedford	46	41	529
New Haven	45	43	511
Springfield	44	43	482
Pawtucket	36	45	444

GAMES TODAY.
Hartford in New Haven.
New Bedford in Springfield.
Pawtucket in Brookton.

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Providence	72	39	649
Buffalo	64	40	615
Montreal	57	53	518
Harrisburg	52	55	486
Rochester	49	58	458
Richmond	48	64	429
Jersey City	40	68	370

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PRACTICE FOR  
GRIDIRON GAME  
IS UNDER WAY

New York, Aug. 25.—With the opening of the collegiate football season about a month away, the preliminary work of conditioning the veterans, of whipping the newcomers of the game into the mold and of going through light signal practice has been started by several coaches. This season promises to be one of the biggest in the history of the gridiron sport, and some of the big colleges and universities have started the light work in preparation for the grueling practice which will begin within a few weeks.

Rutgers, Yale, Princeton, Penn State, Harvard, and other colleges already have some of their men at work, and Columbia, which will have an eleven on the gridiron for the first time in 10 years, will get down to work within a few weeks. Harry Fisher, graduate manager of athletics at the Morning-side Heights institution, expects to announce the schedule when he returns from a two weeks' vacation. Under T. Nelson Metcalf of Oberlin, the new coach, will issue his call for candidates. Among the teams reported as stated for the Columbia schedule are St. Lawrence University, Stevens, Rhode Island State, Hamilton, Rutgers, Amherst, and Wesleyan.

For several days Foster Sanford, coach of the Rutgers eleven, has had a squad of men practicing daily on a farm near Long Branch, and, although they are in good condition, Sanford does not expect his men to be too fine when the season opens on the banks of the Raritan.

The most important game that the Rutgers eleven will play this season is with Princeton, and hopes are high among Rutgers men that after 46 years of patient waiting the eleven will bring back a victory over the Orange and Black eleven. This year's contest will be the 47th between the two institutions, and only game Rutgers has won was the first, way back in the '60's.

Report has it that Head Coach John J. Rush has a squad of Nassau men at work in a lumber camp up in Maine, and when the season opens the team will not be handicapped by lack of condition or practice. Yale is also preparing for the fall's operations, and the football season will be in a short time the preparatory football camps will be busy hives of industry. Hamilton Fish's graduate eleven, made up of the stars of the Eastern colleges, will be seen in New Haven this fall. The "All-Stars" have arranged a game with Rutgers at the Polo Grounds on Nov. 13.

BENTON, LOST TO  
PIRATES, REPORTS  
TO GIANT MANAGER

New York, Aug. 25.—As was expected, the board of directors of the national league, at a special meeting held in the league's headquarters in this city yesterday, awarded Rube Benton, the former southpaw pitcher of the Cincinnati Reds, to the Giants, and threw out the game that the Pirates won from the Cubs last night, hurling for the Pittsburgh team. This game will be replayed either on Sept. 3 or 4 in Pittsburgh.

In handing down their decision the board of directors, and Charles H. Ebbetts, the only two members of the board of directors who were not personally interested in the status of the pitcher, declared the Giants had a legal right to the pitcher, but exonerated the Pirates for signing the player. The decision also states that the Cincinnati club will have to reimburse Barney Dreyfus the money that he paid for Benton, which is said to be \$100,000.

NERVOUSNESS HAS  
CAUSED NUMEROUS  
RECRUITS TO FAIL

The greatest enemy of the young ball player is nervousness, according to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Many a youngster of promise coming up from the minors ruins his chances by "aeroplaning" when he finds himself lined up against players of experience and reputation. He is likely to play far below his normal speed season, and in a short time produced on his manager is faulty. He may not have a chance to become fully accustomed to his surroundings or to get over his nervousness before he is railroaded back to the busines.

The best way for a player to succeed is to try to forget that he is up in the big show and put his whole mind on the ball game. If he can fail to see the huge crowd and the big crowd and just remember that he is playing a game of ball and trying to do his part toward winning it he will surely succeed if he has the ability. The player who is doing everything in his power to win the ball game is the lad who catches the eye of the fexy manager.

One serious fault with many young players is that they think too much of their base hits. This is a natural fault, for every player, old or young, likes to wallop the ball to some far territory, but the real manager is looking beyond that. He sees the fellow who can hit with one on one and two out and does not care for his style. On the other hand, the man who has the nerve to come up with the smash in the pinch is the man who is retained, even if his batting average is many points below that of the other fellow.

## Wagner's Watch Tower

Owing to the closeness of the pennant race in the American league, the Chicago White Sox and the Detroit Tigers have declined to play exhibition games in this city during their next Eastern trip. Owner Comiskey of the White Sox says in a letter to President O'Rourke of the Eastern association, that he has decided not to have any exhibitions except those already booked.

Manager Jennings of the Tigers writes that he will not play any exhibitions when his club passes through this section. "It would not be good policy for me to take a chance of having my players hurt in exhibition games," he said. "If anything happened to hurt our pennant chances the responsibility would rest with me."

Owner Ebbetts of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who also have the pennant fever, wants to call off the game he has scheduled here for September 5. But the local officials will not consent to this. Perhaps by September 5 Brooklyn will be out of the race and then the Dodgers won't care what becomes of them.

Turf courts, heavy and water soaked, from last night's storm, promised to make the playing today in the round before the semi-final of the Meadow club cup singles at Southampton, N. Y., more a matter of hard hitting and endurance than form. William M. Johnston and Clarence J. Griffin, the Pacific coast players, are the leaders of the 16 left in the single matches. Johnston meets Robert Kelly, former inter-collegiate champion and Griffin faces T. R. Pell, former indoor champion.

Owner Duggess and Manager Clarke of the Pittsburgh club had a talk with Rube Marquard of the Giants yesterday. McGraw has asked for waivers on the big pitcher and he will probably join the Pirates if he will consent to accept a cut in the big salary he has been getting.

There is a wrestler named Bull Montana. Not that you care anything

YATES, WHO QUIT  
YALE, RUMORED TO  
BE AT PRINCETON

New Haven, Aug. 25.—Head Coach Frank A. Hinkley has returned to Yale city after a vacation spent in Canada and he will be ready for the recruits for the Yale eleven when they report at Madison on September 7. "Fair Play" of the New York Post met Dr. Billy Bull in Newport on his way to his farm at the summer resort, and he confirmed the report that Yates, the great freshman line-man, had been lost to Yale, through action of the college authorities.

It is as serious a loss as the Elis have sustained in years, for Yates was one of the old type of Yale line-men. He brought down a field with hands out, hitting a ten-second cup, despite his football clothes and 300 pounds, scattering ruined formations and broken hopes all over the turf. But he got himself out of favor with the dean, and so will be unable to wear the blue.

Bull said he was under the impression that Yates had turned to Princeton and would be a student of Old Hinkley this fall. Whether this is true or not may not be said. One may believe that so far at least as the Princeton football authorities are concerned, this player, while ineligible for the eleven this year, would be very welcome.

Another man lost to the Elis is

SHUGRUE'S EYES  
ARE NOT CAUSING  
HIM ANY TROUBLE

Waterbury, Aug. 25.—Evidently some of Joe Shugrue's friends are doing a lot of unnecessary worrying. They wish a serious operation on him every time they have a Saturday half holiday and time hangs heavy on their hands. As a matter of fact, Shugrue has been under treatment for his eyes for the past several months and now and then takes a run down to New York to have them looked over.

Just at present he is up in Hurleyville, N. Y., and writes to George Mulligan by the postcard route, that he is feeling fine, with no mention of any serious operations or anything else. Joe manages to do some boxing right along, in fact he boxed six men in Waterbury a few weeks ago, but as for these stories about critical operations when he has one, he will let us know.

PROMOTERS OF  
BIG BOUT ARE  
ABLE TO PAY

New York, Aug. 25.—Action on the question of permitting referees' decisions was again deferred by the Boxing Commission at its meeting yesterday afternoon. The matter was not even discussed, owing to the absence of James E. Price.

Most of the session was taken up with looking into the ability of the promoters of the McFarland-Gibbons bout to pay the purse of \$32,500 they have offered for the ten-round bout to be staged at the Brighton Beach Motor-drome next month.

It was the consensus of opinion of Frank O'Neil and Major John J. Dixon that the Marshalls—Chauncey, Jr., and his cousin, William O.—were well able to put up the money.

The Marshalls showed the articles of agreement, which proved that they had posted \$5,000, and that each boxer had posted half that amount. The full purse is to be placed in the hands of a certain person one week before the bout. It will cost the Marshalls in the neighborhood of \$50,000 to put on the 30 minutes of terpsichorean endeavor.

GIANTS DROP TO  
LAST PLACE WHEN  
CARDS TAKE GAME

New York, Aug. 25.—The Giants dropped another game to St. Louis at the Polo Grounds yesterday. The Cards drove Jeff Tesreau from the box in the sixth inning hammered Ferdie Schuppe who succeeded him and won the game 12 to 1. Yesterday's defeat pushed the Giants down into last place in the league standing. That one count for the Giants came in the ninth inning when the Cardinals stayed their relentless play and allowed the Giants one lone run. The Giants made wild throws, fumbles and in fact every sort of mistake which can crowd itself into a baseball game.

When John McGraw decided to make Red Doolin one of the Giants' Red was pounding the ball to all corners of the lot. Immediately he assumes a Giant uniform his hits are few and far between. Then, too, he has acquired the habit of making errors. Just in passing it might be mentioned that there were seven glaring misplays for the New York team yesterday.

Jeff Tesreau started to pitch for the Giants. He lasted six innings, and was succeeded by Ferdie Schuppe. After Tesreau had retired, Ferdie pitched one inning like a winner and he struck out Huggins, Butler and Bescher. After that, however, the hits rattled around like hail.

GRAND CIRCUIT MEET  
POSTPONED BECAUSE OF  
INFECTION OF STALLS

New York, Aug. 25.—The Grand Circuit race meet which was to begin August 31 at the Empire City track in Yonkers will not take place, according to a statement by a director of the Empire City Racing association. It is alleged that the stabling of more than thirty thousand horses at the Empire City track before shipping them to Europe for the war has so infected the stalls and track that it cannot be used for six months.

Naives gathered in the north of Hayti have refused to recognize President Dartignac, and are ready to support Gen. Rosario Bobo.

The British financial commission, commissioned to settle foreign exchange problems, will leave London for New York in a short time.

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